

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

B. M.

Plaintiff,

-against-

ELIZABETH GONZALEZ, ET AL.,

Defendants.

22-CV-02658 (VEC)(RFT)

**ORDER**

**ROBYN F. TARNOFSKY, United States Magistrate Judge:**

By Order of Reference dated March 29, 2024 (ECF 137), Judge Valerie E. Caproni referred this case to Magistrate Judge James L. Cott for settlement. On April 1, 2024, that referral was reassigned to me.

A settlement conference is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 30, 2024 at 2:00 p.m.** in Courtroom 9B at 500 Pearl Street, New York, NY, 10007. If this date is not convenient for the parties, counsel should e-mail my chambers at [TarnofskyNYSDChambers@nysd.uscourts.gov](mailto:TarnofskyNYSDChambers@nysd.uscourts.gov) by **April 15, 2024**, to propose three alternative dates and times for the settlement conference during the week of April 29, 2024.

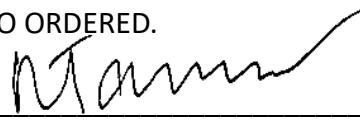
The parties are instructed to complete the Ex Parte Settlement Conference Summary Report and prepare pre-conference submissions in accordance with my Individual Rules of Practice. Pre-conference submissions must be received no later than **April 23, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.**

Corporate parties must send the person with decision-making authority to settle the matter to the conference.

If attending in person presents a hardship for any party, they may submit a letter on the docket explaining the situation and the reasons why they believe the settlement conference should be held remotely.

DATED: April 8, 2024  
New York, NY

SO ORDERED.

  
ROBYN F. TARNOFSKY  
United States Magistrate Judge